

11-200-03

762

Please type a plus sign (+) inside this box → 

PTO/SB/21 (08-00)

Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-0031

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

## TRANSMITTAL FORM

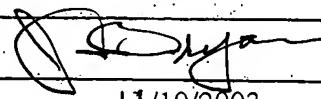
(to be used for all correspondence after initial filing)

		Application Number	10/017,545
		Filing Date	12/14/2001
		First Named Inventor	Carlton Mann
		Group Art Unit	1762
		Examiner Name	Parker, Frederick John
Total Number of Pages In This Submission		Attorney Docket Number	XX

## ENCLOSURES (check all that apply)

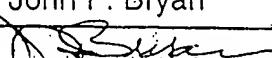
<input type="checkbox"/> Fee Transmittal Form	<input type="checkbox"/> Assignment Papers (for an Application)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Fee Attached	<input type="checkbox"/> Drawing(s).	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amendment / Reply	<input type="checkbox"/> Licensing-related Papers	
<input type="checkbox"/> After Final	<input type="checkbox"/> Petition	
<input type="checkbox"/> Affidavits/declaration(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> Petition to Convert to a Provisional Application	
<input type="checkbox"/> Extension of Time Request	<input type="checkbox"/> Power of Attorney, Revocation Change of Correspondence Address	
<input type="checkbox"/> Express Abandonment Request	<input type="checkbox"/> Terminal Disclaimer	
<input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement	<input type="checkbox"/> Request for Refund	
<input type="checkbox"/> Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> CD, Number of CD(s) _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Response to Missing Parts/ Incomplete Application	<input type="checkbox"/> Remarks	
<input type="checkbox"/> Response to Missing Parts under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53		

## SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT

Firm or Individual name	John F. Bryan	
Signature		
Date	11/19/2003	

## CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231 on this date: 

Typed or printed name	John F. Bryan
Signature	
Date	11/19/2003

Burden Hour Statement: This form is estimated to take 0.2 hours to complete. Time will vary depending upon the needs of the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Washington, DC 20231. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231.

**PATENT****IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Carlton Mann  
Serial Number: 10/017,545  
Filing Date: 12/14/2001  
Art Unit 1762  
Examiner: Parker, Frederick John  
Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CLEANING  
ELECTROSTATIC PAINT HOOKS

**SUPPLEMENTARY AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111**

November 18, 2003

Honorable Commissioner of  
Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir;

The following is submitted in response to the Office communication of November 13, 2003. For reference purposes only, amendments to the claims as presented in applicant's 37 CFR 1.111 response of September 18 are included herein without change.

**IN THE CLAIMS**

Please amend the claims as indicated below and cancel claims 16-36.